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intment as assignee of A. P. Goldsmith and
of Sale in the county of Linn and State of
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JOSEPH BACHMAN
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EASTERN NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

Mexican Border Raids become more Bold

CHICAGO, May 12.—The New Orleans *Republican* says San Antonio special says Gens. Hatch and Davis U. S. A., arrive from the Rio Grande to day. They report that raids are becoming more and more bold and frequent murders are constantly occurring. These raids authorities on this side are under the control of Mexicans and prevent United States troops from making arrests Unless summary measures are taken the country between the Rio Grande and Nueces will soon be in the hands of Mexican outlaws.

St. Louis Democrat is Merged in the Globe.

CHICAGO May 12.—A St. Louis special says the *Democrat* of that city has been absorbed by the *Globe* and the paper is under the management of B. Brockmeyer of the latter paper and will here after be published under the name of the *Globe and Democrat* and will be a strong supporter of the administration

Threatened with Assassination for Uncarting Frauds.

CHICAGO May 12.—A special from St. Louis says Myron Colony the commercial editor of the *Democrat*, who has been very active in unearthing the recent whisky frauds has received information that he will be assassinated unless he leaves town before Saturday night.

Death of Breckinridge Expected.

LOUISVILLE, Ky. May 12.—A Lexington dispatch just received, says John C. Breckinridge is sinking rapidly and death may be expected any moment. A difficult surgical operation was performed upon him yesterday by Dr. Hoyer of Philadelphia and Dr. Sayre of New York which it was hoped would afford him permanent or at least temporary relief but since morning he has been failing. His physicians think his illness is the result of a blow received from a fragment of shell during the war.

John C. Breckinridge Dying.

LEXINGTON Ky. May 12—9 P. M.—Gen Breckinridge is still alive but sinking so rapidly that death cannot be long delayed.

Specie Shipments,

NEW YORK May 12.—Specie shipments to Europe to-day are $512 750 of which $ 50 000 is gold coin the rest inclade silver. Engagements for to morrow are $100 000

Money and Stocks;

NEW YORK May 12.—Gold closed Money 5@6 Government securities steady Sevenths 104¾ Fiscal 5s 111¾ Funded 14s 10 New York Central 106 Erie 24¾ Preferred 44¾ Union Pacific 93 Union bonds 106. Central bonds 102¾

Arrival from San Francisco.

NEW YORK, May 12.—Arrived—The ship *Sterling* from San Francisco

BOSTON May 12.—The steamship *Metropolis* from Bermuda was boarded 40 miles East of Dutch Island by the steamer Canonicus this morning, and now lies at anchor

Reunion of the Grand Army.

CHICAGO, May 12.—The ninth annual convention of the Grand Army of the Republic commences here to-day It is composed of present and past officers and members of each department A great many delegates from different States, have already arrived here to participate in the reunion to be held during the next three days, and for which extensive preparations have been made.

Saga Affray between Colored Girls.

HARRIS May 12.—In a quarrel between Lou ous and Lou Christian, colored girls, the former stabbed the latter with a knife, causing instant death The murderess was arrested and held for trial

Election of Directors of the Denver Pacific Road.

ST. LOUIS, May 12.—At a meeting of stockholders of the Denver and Pacific railroad at Denver, on Monday the following directors were elected E Carr D A Moffat, Jr. Perry A Gresley W R Livingston Jay Gould Sidney Dillon C M Bosbo and Oliver Ames.

Boston Wool Market.

BOSTON, May 12.—The market generally is unchanged, with a fair demand from manufacturers who confine their purchases to small lots for immediate wants. Prices rule low and unsatisfactory for all the wools but medium grades sustain previous rates. There is a very indifferent feeling on the part of manufacturers and the amount of sales is not very encouraging The spring demand for goods has proved a failure. Sales of Ohio and Pennsylvania fleece range from 42@45 cents for XXX and medium grades, Michigan fleeces from 43 to 42½ cents, and combing and delaine from 47 to 48 cents. Pulled wool has been in demand at 42@44 cents for extra and choice supers and extras are as much inquired for. California wool has been in fair demand at 27@35 cents for spring and 16@cents for fall

Annual Meeting of the American Tract Society.

NEW YORK, May 12.—The fifteenth annual meeting of the American Tract Society was held to day at Dr. Crosby's church Judge Strong presiding The annual addresses were read and re elected with slight changes made necessary by the death of members during the past year Publications for circulation among the destitute including annual issue of new volumes were granted, amount to fifty two thousand dollars.

Tornado—Schoolhouse Destroyed and Child Killed.

CLEVELAND, O. May 12.—A tornado struck the village of Port Covington Franklin county this afternoon Several buildings were demolished and many uprooted. The roof of the brick school house was torn off and the walls blown down killing the death of a little girl and the injury of several other scholars.

Canal Tolls Reduced.

ALBANY, May 12.—The Senate passed the concurrent resolution providing for low tolls on canals

Failure of Contractors to Supply Indian Agencies

WASHINGTON, May 12.—Special Indian Agent J. J. C. Sharks special Indian commissioner now here, denies the truth of the story that he had made to the Indian bureau that the failure to get supplies for the Indians from Caddo to Fort Sill, Cheyenne and Wichita agencies was the impassable condition of the roads. He says the roads were good, the streams not swollen and that the failure of the contractors who supplied traders had no trouble in getting goods through and filling that part of their contracts. Sharks says the Indians suffer from this fault principally, and that he has been obliged to rob them and the government at the same time

Important Decision on Railway Tariffs.

DES MOINES Iowa May 12.—Judge Dillon of the U. S. circuit court to day rendered an opinion sustaining the validity of the Iowa railroad tariff act passed March 1872, in relation to the Burlington and Missouri River road now operated by the Chicago Burlington & Quincy railway This is the first decision in the state by a Federal court on the subject. The decision is based on two grounds—First, that the State never made any grant to the company in its charter of exclusive right to fix its own tolls and second that the legislature reserved the right to alter and modify the charter when it accepted the land grant in July 15.6 agreeing that the State might thereafter enact such rules and regulations in respect to the company as it did it, and in accordance with that act and the act to Congress making the grant,

More of the Seizured at Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE, May 12.—There have been twelve distillers and rectifying houses seized in this city and vicinity Four of these have applied to the U S. Court and entered permanent injunctions against operations upon giving the bonds required by law As fast as the establishments can be appraised they are turned over to the custody of the U S marshal Some of the distilling and rectifying property has been sold under threaten to bring suits for damages

How Senator Spencer Manipulated a Legislature

MONTGOMERY, Ala., May —.—The legislative committee investigating the election of U. S. Senator Spencer took a recess to-day. The testimony so far developed shows that Spencer accomplished the election of United States troops in Alabama for the avowed purpose of intimidating Democratic voters That after the election of the Legislature it was found that Democrats would control it and in consequence the so called court house Legislature was organized. That money was used to bribe the Republican members opposed to Spencer and this money was obtained from United States officials. The clerk of the unlawful Legislature and one of Spencer's confidential aids testified to all these facts, and that in addition to himself J. J. Hinds and C. C. Sheats were employed constantly in Spencer's interest and that members of the Legislature were pushed with money and appointments and promises of appointments to fill such offices.

The Miners Become Ungovernable—Workman Mobbed and Houses Sacked

HUNTINGTON Pa. May 12.—About nine hundred men and women went to Fisher's and Whitel coal mines to-day and compelled the miner to stop coal operations, and then sacked the houses and appropriated what they wanted The strikers have become ungovernable and declare all new men must not shall leave that region If the men had resisted bloodshed would have been shed freely They sheriff and promised help in order to protect the new men, but would, to some cause not fully explained he did not come. The success of the mob fires the miners threaten to cause the suspension of business Miners propose to elect out every bank operated.

WASHINGTON CITY.

Notice to Mariners.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—The following notice to mariners relative to the discovery of additional peaks at Noonday rock at the entrance to San Francisco bay, has been issued from the U. S. coast survey office Lieutenant Wheaden corps of engineers, U S A in making a preliminary examination of Noonday rock, by means of a diver, for the purpose of ultimately removing the rock, discovered in its immediate proximity two pinnacles

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Judge Neilson the [illegible] Tilton they should also have Mrs Woodhull in attendance

Francis D Moulton

Was then called and testified that [illegible] Beecher on the 6th December 1870 in reference to the letter of Tilton to Beecher [illegible] Beecher said to Moulton that he never would let the letter go out of his hands and never for the interest of all parties concerned in the matter Moulton replied that Tilton's wife would never consent to the publication of the letter Beecher said that Tilton's wife did not know of the letter and that Tilton must be made to understand that Moulton left Beecher's house with the impression that Beecher would not let the letter go out of his hands

Stephen Pearl Andrews

Was recalled and identified the signature of Col Blood signed to the letter of offices of Mr Woodhull in Broad street from the 1st of May 1870 to the 1st of May 18[illegible]

Cross examined—He did not remember that any Mrs Woodhull moved from 44 Broad street but thought it was in the latter part of May 1871 This is merely a recollection and he could not have sent among the audience

During a [illegible] ensued which was broken by Beach saying We rest here if your honor please

Sub-Rebuttal.

Do care began their sub rebuttal by recalling

James Freeland,

Who testified that he knew Tilton and Beecher and they were [illegible] of any house on the 6th December 1870 [illegible] they were in Beecher's house and did not receive a note from Bowen on the 6th of December 1870 [illegible] him to make an appointment with Beecher on that day Bowen did not in his house on that day [illegible] Beecher In the interview between Bowen and Beecher at his house on January 1871 I recollect when the arbitrators met at his house but on [illegible] Tilton was present Tilton [illegible] Beecher but [illegible] Tilton [illegible] Beecher [illegible] Tilton [illegible] Beecher [illegible] Tilton [illegible] Beecher

The Daily Oregonian.

THURSDAY MORNING, MAY 13, 1875.

PREPARING WOOL FOR MARKET.

Owing to the rapidly increasing importance of the wool growing interest of our State and the notice it is receiving in the great manufacturing districts, especially the New England markets, it becomes a matter of interest to the growers as well as buyers and shippers of the commodity to avoid the difficulties and as far as practicable remove all obstacles to the establishment of a good character of the Oregon product in those places where are to be found our principal markets of demand. This task devolves principally on the grower himself, in the matter of putting up his wool, so that when it reaches the general market it will at least be in a fair merchantable condition. We have the word of a gentleman who has dealt in and shipped Oregon wool in former seasons to a very considerable extent, that the majority of the wool growers in Oregon put up their wool in such a way that it makes it worth several cents less per pound in the general market than if reasonable care were taken in shearing and packing. Not only this, but all lots sold in a bad, damp or dirty condition help to make a record for this staple that it will take years of careful effort to get over.

A great deal of the wool raised in Oregon is handled, as we are informed, about as follows: The shearer, after shearing his sheep, generally gathers up the fleece, and with it, either to add to its weight or through carelessness, collects all the dust and dirt within reach, putting in the tag locks or filth that comes from the sheep, rolls it up, making a rope of wool twisted from the head, gives it one wrap around the fleece, tucks in the end, then thrusts it into the sack, and flatters himself that the wool is ready to be sold, and that he has done all that duty or his interest requires of him. Now this wool, before it is consigned to the manufacturer or commission merchant, has to be taken from these sacks and pressed into bales, for convenience in shipping. In doing this, three-fourths of it will get loose, the fleece falling to pieces, thereby exposing the dirty condition of the wool. Perhaps one-fourth of it can be got into the bale in fleeces, but in taking it from the bale the other one-fourth gets loose. Then we have a very unprepossessing article to show to a buyer; the only way it can be handled is like a pile of hay, with a pitchfork, and we can rest assured that the *trace-chains, sticks of wood twelve inches long,* and chunks of dry earth, harness, etc., (that were found in one lot that was brought here last season,) together with the tag-locks and *filth, will all be on top of the pile.*

If the Wallamet valley did not produce the best staple of any State in the Union, much of our wool would hardly pay the cost of transportation. As it is it must be sold below its actual value, on account of its condition when it reaches the general market.

Now, there is no excuse for this. It costs the wool-grower no more to have his wool go into the general market in good condition than in the way that has been described.

The proper way to shear and pack the wool so that it will bring the best market rates, is to observe the following directions:

In the *first* place be sure that the sheep are *perfectly dry* before shearing. If the wool is clipped when a little damp and pressed into bales as it comes to it quickly, it goes through a sweat, discoloring the staple, so it will never bleach out white. Another thing: damp wool weighs more than dry, and a few pounds' shrinkage in every sack disgusts the buyer. Provide yourself with a clean place to shear, a good barn floor swept perfectly clean preferred. Caution your shearers about letting the sheep tear the fleeces; have a table convenient to the shearers and some good clipped wool twine; attend to the tying up of the wool yourself. Lay the fleece on the table, cutting off all the tag locks and filth; turn in the head and tail, and turn in the flanks and roll it up commencing at the tail end, tying it with two strings to keep the roll in place, and then with one string across the ends. This is sufficient.

A fleece thus tied is light, easily handled and examined and can be felt all through. It does not require a thorough examination to determine whether there is anything in it that is not wool. Wool put up in this way can be taken from the sack, put in bales, and taken from the bales and be in good condition.

TRUE FOR OREGON AND WASHINGTON.

Not only has the flowing tide of immigrants to California caused the friendly press of that State to point the home-seeking families to the young State of Oregon and say "there is room and a goodly land for you," but even far to the East the people are beginning to learn something of the resources of this State and the advantages which she offers to those who are seeking for homes. The New York *Bulletin*, one of the leading and most widely circulated journals published in the American metropolis, speaks some good words for Oregon and suggests to the surplus laboring population of the East that "there is a fine opening for them in Oregon." It says:

The East is overstocked with labor, and the nearer portions of the West have more than enough. Kansas, Missouri and Nebraska are filling up as fast as need be, and they want capital much more than they do labor. California, also, is overrun, and the Territories have but little outlet for industry other than the mines afford. Oregon, on the contrary, is a fresh field. It is off the line of railroad facilities, and the great currents of emigration follow the railroad routes almost exclusively. It is because she lies off to one side that she has been neglected, but, now that other places are over-supplied, attention may well be directed to those parts of the country which have heretofore been overlooked. In a recent message to the legislature of that State, Gov. Grover says the great want of Oregon is more population. There are now in the State only one hundred thousand people. But with so slight a population in all departments of life and business, the value of the exports last year was more than ten million dollars. There is beyond question a brilliant future for Oregon. It is rich in all the elements of extensive and permanent wealth. Land is still cheap there, and a cordial welcome will meet every man who is willing to work, and who goes there to make himself a home.

While the above is true as far as Oregon is concerned, there is one reference to the Territories which hardly applies to some of them though right as to others. Washington Territory, with her resources, is twin sister to Oregon, only of slower growth in population and municipal forms, but equal in advantages relating to the "outlets for her industries" having good harbors, a long line of sea coast, numerous bays and navigable rivers, and nothing in the way of her prosperity but the lack of more muscle and means to develop her resources. We thank the journal named for the good words for Oregon, and add our own for Washington Territory.

A GOOD MOVE.

In order to collect definite and reliable information as to the advantages which the several sections of our State afford to settlers, we know of no plan more thorough than that adopted by Acme Grange, located in this county. This Grange has had printed and sent to the different Granges in Oregon and Washington Territory a circular, containing the following resolutions:

WHEREAS, The climate of the State of Oregon is generally healthful and uniform, the winters comparatively mild, the summers cool and pleasant, the soil rich and productive, the valleys set with native grasses, abundantly supplied with timber and good water, its streams abounding in fishes of various kinds, and for milling purposes it is useful; and

WHEREAS, The area in square miles is about 102,000, and the population about 100,000 persons; and

WHEREAS, We believe immigration is one of the great wants of this State, that the grange is a reliable channel through which valuable information from all parts of the State may be obtained, concentrated, disseminated, and conveyed to various parts of our country as well as to foreign lands; and

WHEREAS, We believe, were our State better known abroad, it would be the means of increasing our population by immigration, thereby improving the condition of those who will come among us, also materially benefiting the people of this State at large; and

WHEREAS, We believe it to be a humane, charitable and praiseworthy act to encourage persons to come to a land where crops never fail, where beggars are not found, and where the sheep do not destroy our crops, nor insects destroy our fruits; therefore be it

Resolved, By Acme Grange of the State of Oregon, that we request each P. of H. to furnish information to their secretary and master that will tend to represent our State in a true light, and forward the same in as complete, condensed and business-like form as is consistent with the subject in hand, to H. S. Davenport at Portland, Oregon, that it may be remodeled and reduced to a desirable form.

The objects for which the information is sought is set forth in the circular thus:

1. We desire this information for the use of our State agent, that it may be used in posting immigrants as to the advantages of different localities, and their peculiar adaptation to different modes of agriculture.

2. That it may be sent abroad, thus giving persons an opportunity of obtaining a knowledge of our State by having information of a perfectly reliable character, from farmers themselves.

3. That it may be of direct service to the State board of immigration, for circulation by them, and assist in carrying out the objects of their organization.

Then follows a long list of about one hundred questions, relating to the various matters touching soil, climate, productions, prices of lands, adaptability to grain, fruit and vegetable growing, mineral resources, wages for all kinds of labor, schools, etc., etc. The questions asked, in short, embrace almost every fact upon which a person contemplating emigrating to a country could desire information, and, as the circulars are so printed that answers can be filled in with comparatively little labor by the persons to whom they are sent, we anticipate that Acme Grange, which is evidently composed of live, energetic members, will gather a very large amount of statistical and other information concerning the various portions of our State by this method. The secretaries of the various Granges are expected to fill in the answers to the questions and return the circular at once to the committee of Acme Grange.

In our remarks yesterday, in relation to the important enterprise of the construction of the revenue cutter at the Albina iron works we were misled by the extract from the *Alta*, in calling her an iron vessel. We learn that she is to be built, in the main of yellow fir and oak of Oregon growth. So that though our mistake was "iron," and the vessel will not be, but will be almost substantial and serviceable as though she were.

NEW TO-DAY.

T. S. HANDLEY,
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HILLSBORO, OREGON.
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A. S. GROSS, Portland, Ogn.

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE CO-partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the name and style of METZGER & STEEL, and carried on at the Portland Glue Factory, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Steel retires from the business, which will hereafter be carried on by D. Metzger at the same place, who will pay all demands against the late firm, and who is alone authorized to collect debts due the same.

Dated at Portland, this 12th day of May, A. D 1875.
D. METZGER.
WILLIAM STEEL.
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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTing between Fred. Eberhardt and Wm. Mast, under the firm name of EBERHARDT & MAST, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Eberhardt will continue the business at the old stand. Either partner is authorized to collect and settle the outstanding accounts.
FRED. EBERHARDT.
WM. MAST.
Portland, May 13, 1875. my13d6t

NEW TO-DAY.

CROQUET SETS, VARIOUS STYLES AND BABY CARRIAGES are at Ackerman's Dollar Store.

CASSIMERES, TWEEDS, DOESKINS, Kentucky Jeans, &c., for sale at 107 Third st., by
JOHN WILSON.

Chief of Police Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY VIRtue of a Warrant issued by the Auditor and Clerk of the City of Portland, dated May 11th, 1875, commanding me to levy upon Lot Number one (1) in Block 76 in the city of Portland, and collect assessment thereon, amounting to thirty-one 60/100 dollars ($31 60) for the improvement of Front streets between Morrison and Salmon streets, I have this day levied upon said Lot one in Block 76, and on SATURDAY, the 12th day of June, 1875, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, in front of the court house door, in said city of Portland, Multnomah county, State of Oregon, will sell said Lot one to the highest bidder, therefor, to pay said assessments, costs and expenses of sale. Said sale to be for U. S. gold and silver coin.
J. H. LAPPEUS Chief of Police.
Portland, May 12, 1875. my13dlawtd

Chief of Police Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY VIRtue of a Warrant issued by the Auditor and Clerk of the City of Portland, dated May 11th, 1875, commanding me to levy upon Lot Number two in Block 76, in the City of Portland, and collect assessment thereon, amounting to sixteen 5-100 dollars, for the improvement of Front street, between Morrison and Salmon streets, I have this day levied upon said Lot two (2) in Block 76, and on SATURDAY, the 12th day of June, 1875, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, in front of the court house door in said City of Portland, Multnomah county, State of Oregon, will sell said Lot 2 to the highest bidder therefor, to pay said assessments, costs and expenses of sale. Said sale to be for U. S. Gold and Silver coin.
J. H. LAPPEUS, Chief of Police.
Portland, May 13, 1875. my13dlawtd

Ordinance No. 1024.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE CONstruction of a wharf in the Willamette River in front of and opposite the southerly portion of block No. 4, Couch's Addition.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. The owner of Lots one and two in Block four, Couch's Addition, is hereby authorized and permitted to construct a wharf of piles and timber in the Willamette River, commencing at a point about 100 feet easterly from the line of North Front street on the boundary of lots two and three, in Block four, thence easterly to a point about 80 feet from said starting point, thence southerly to the intersection of the center line of Front street with the wharf recently built by G. H. Flanders et al., thence westerly along said center line of Front street, to a point about 100 feet from the said easterly line of North Front street, thence northerly to the place of beginning.

The lower floor of said wharf to be constructed above the base of grades as practicable.

Section 2. The upper story or floor of said wharf shall not extend easterly beyond the line of the lower wharf or beyond the line of the block, except for a passage way fifteen feet in width along the north side line of Market, provided that said passage way shall be constructed as a sidewalk, and with those portions of said wharf extending over and into the street, shall be sufficient to span the same by the Common Council as a part of the street, and *provided* further, that there shall be a suitable trap for the purposes in the lower roadway, to be kept clear, and in order by the owner of said wharf.

Passed the Common Council April 21, 1875.
W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

Approved April 21, 1875.
HENRY FAILING,
Mayor.

Ordinance No. 1030.

AN ORDINANCE MAKING AN APPROPRIAtion out of the Police Fund to carry into effect the provisions of Ordinance No. 922.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. In order to provide for the more effectual enforcement of Ordinance No. 922, entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the working of prisoners," the sum of five hundred dollars is hereby appropriated out of the Police Fund for the payment of an extra policeman to be detailed for the guarding of prisoners while at work.

Passed the Common Council April 21, 1875.
W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

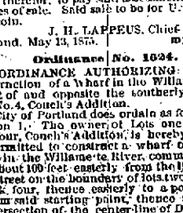
Approved April 24, 1875.
HENRY FAILING,
Mayor.

WONDERFUL INVENTION!

THE LITTLE MONITOR SEWING MACHINE

SEWS FROM TWO SPOOLS DIRECT—MAKES the Lock Stitch. No Shuttle, no Bobbin, no rewinding of thread.
Call at 104 Third st., Good Templars' Building.
MRS. A. B. PAXTON,
General Agent for Pacific Coast.
Good responsible Agents wanted. my12d4wtf

Counting-House Desks,



LOW, STANDING AND DROP LEAF, SWIVEL, Library and Arm Chairs. We have the Agencies for Feard's Folding School Desks. Also, the Gem Desk. Feard's Folding Desk is the best School Desk made of the United States.

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BOILED AND RAW, BARRELS AND Cases,
At the Lowest Market Rates.

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DEALERS IN
Drugs, Paints, Oils and Glass,
75 Front Street.

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NEW MARKET THEATRE!

MRS. FANNY MORGAN PHELPS' DRAMATIC COMPANY,
And Capt. McDONALD'S Splendid Band of
TRAINED INDIANS,
For Positively TWO NIGHTS ONLY and ONE MATINEE.

On FRIDAY EVENING, MAY 14, 1875, Will be presented the brilliant comedietta, entitled
THE COMICAL COUNTESS.
COUNTESS.....MRS. FANNY MORGAN PHELPS.

After which, Singing by MISS LIZZIE MORGAN.
To be followed by a
Grand Exhibition of the Art of Arms,
By Capt. McDONALD'S TRAINED INDIANS,
Who will execute their
Lightning Drill, Bayonet Exercise and Acrobatic Performance.
To conclude with the screaming farce of
TO ORLIGE BENSON.
By the Dramatic Company.

RED MEN'S PICNIC!

POSTPONED

UNTIL

Monday, May 17, 1875.

PRINTERS' PICNIC!

SATURDAY, MAY 22, '75.

LIME.

800 BBLS. ORCAS ISLAND LIME, For sale in quantities to suit, by
CORBITT & MACLEAY.
Sole Agents for the Orcas Island Lime Co.
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BOARD

WITH OR WITHOUT ROOMS AT REASONable rates, on west side of Fifth street, between Alder and Morrison. my10d6t

Sugar, Coffee, Rice!

EX BARQUE MATTIE MACLEAY, FROM Honolulu:

3156 kegs Islands Sugars.
Assorted Grades,

134 mats Islands Sugars,
From the following Favorite Plantation Brands:

Pioneer XXX,
Pioneer A
Libue,
Koloa,
Kaneohe,
Heeia.

300 sks Islands Rice. Grown from Carolina Seed.

100 sks Kona Coffee. This Coffee is growing in favor, combining the flavor of Java with greater strength.

The above cargo is offered at IMPORTING RATES, in quantities to suit the trade, by the undersigned.
CORBITT & MACLEAY.
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FOR HONOLULU--Direct.

THE HAWAIIAN BARQUE
"MATTIE MACLEAY,"
D. H. WALTER.....MASTER.
Having the greater portion of her cargo engaged will have quick dispatch.
For Freight or Passage apply to
CORBITT & MACLEAY.
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DRY GOODS.

GREAT BARGAINS!
IN
PARASOLS!

338 Children's Parasols at 50c each.
425 Ladies' large Silk Parasols, 1.50.
217 " Alpaca " $1,50.
394 " Twilled Silk, large, $3.00.
278 " Silk Lined, extra Trimmed, $3.50.
102 " Sun Umbrellas, worth $7.00 at $5.00.

These Goods are the entire Stock of J. D. Barr & Co., of San Francisco, who have just closed business, and will be sold for less than the cost of manufacturing, at

P. SELLING'S,
Corner of First and Yamhill Streets.
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PRICES REDUCED!

A COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF
Body Brussels;
Tapestry Brussels
Three-Ply;
Extra Supers;
Superfine;
All-Wool Ingrains;
Cotton Chains and Hemps of All Qualities,
AT
WALTER BROS.,
Nos. 92 and 94 First Street.

E. CORBETT'S
Livery, Hack & Feed Stables,
(FIRE PROOF),
COR. SECOND AND TAYLOR STREETS.

Reasonable Charges for Hires. Particular Attention paid to Boarding Horses.

OBSERVE PRICES:
Riding, $1 50 per hour.
Calling, $1 50 first hour, $1 each additional hour.
To Depots, 50 cents each passenger.
Funerals, $5 per Hack.
To and from Balls and Parties, $2 a couple.
Orders left at STABLE or FISHEL & ROBERTS, promptly attended to at any hour.

OREGON TRANSFER COMPANY

OFFICE & HACK STABLES,
S. W. Corner of Second and Stark Streets.

CARRIAGE RATES:
Calling, $1 50 first hour, $1 00 for each additional hour.
Riding, $1 50 per hour.
To or from Trains and Steamboats, 50 cents each person.
To and from Balls and Parties, $2 00 a couple.
Funerals, $5 00 a Hack.
All orders given to the Drivers, or left at the office, will be promptly attended to day or night.

P. GOLDSMITH, 217 & 219 Water st., New York. J. LOEWENBERG, Portland.

GOLDSMITH & LOEWENBERG,
32 and 34 Front St., O. S. N. Co.'s Block.
Importers and Dealers in
STOVES, METALS,
TINNERS' AND PLUMBERS' STOCK,
Bird Cages, Fancy Wire Goods, Refrigerators, Water Coolers, Ice Cream Freezers,
And a Complete Assortment of
HOUSE FURNISHING HARDWARE.

W. M. HARRIS. SALMON BROS.

STEAM MADE ICE!

Free from all Impurities, will be delivered to any part of the city during the season, by the
PORTLAND STEAM ICE WORKS,
AT ONE CENT PER POUND.
Orders left at the manufactory on Second street, between Main and Madison, or with the driver of the wagon, will be promptly attended to.
HARRIS & BALMON,
Proprietors.
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PACIFIC CANDY MANUFACTORY
45 First Street.
A. E. MILLER & CO.
Ice Cream, Soda and Oysters, in Season.

DRY GOODS.

DRY GOODS!

DRY GOODS!

For the next TWENTY DAYS, I will offer unusual inducements to purchasers of Dry Goods. This course has become necessary in order to move off my present large and well assorted Stock, and make room for recent purchases advised to arrive in all May and June.

The following necessarily incomplete list of prices will indicate the sweeping reduction made in every department:

The public may rely upon my ability to produce these articles at the prices mentioned.

DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT.

11-4 wide Bed Spreads, $1 each.
Bleached Sheeting, 8-4, 30 cts. per yard.
Linen Towels, $1 per dozen.
Linen Crash, 12 yds for $1.
All-Wool Flannel, 30 cts.
Canton Flannel, 15 cts.
Honey Comb Flannel, all colors 82 pr yd
Nottingham Lace, wide, 30 cts pr yd.
Table Linen, from 30 cts.
Heavy Scotch Ginghams, 15 cts.
German Shirting Checks, 20 cts.
Grass Cloth Dress Suttings, all colors 18 cents.
Linen Suttings, 25 and 37½ cts.
Bleached Muslin, 12 yds for $1.
All-Wool Grey Blankets, $3 pr pair.
White Blankets, very low.
Figured Piques, 20 cts pr yd.
White do 25 do

Dress Department.

Ladies are respectfully invited to call and look through the Dress Department which will exhibit some new and striking novelties ex "John L. Stephens," to be disposed of at GREAT BARGAINS.

Rich Pongee Silks, 60c pr yd.
Striped Summer Silks, extra quality, $1 pr yd.
Black Silks, a large variety, very cheap.
Japanese Silks, 40c pr yd.
Japanese Poplins, 25c pr yd.
Fancy Striped Challies, 25c, worth 50c.
Checked Mohairs, 15c usual price 30c.
Fancy Check and Striped Grenadine, 20c
French Merinos, wide, 50c.
Black Cashmere, 50c.
Black Alpacas,
Black Empress,
Black Tamese Cloth,
Black & Col'd Foulards,
Black Biarritz Cloth,
Black Farmers' Satin,
VERY CHEAP.

PARASOLS.

A new and splendid Stock made expressly to order for this market, will be sold at cost of importing.

HOSIERY.

Ladies' White Cotton Hose, 75c per doz.
Misses' do $1 do
Gents' Fancy Striped Hose, $1 per doz.
A splendid assortment of Misses and Children's Striped Hose, very low.

Men's Ribbed Shirts, 37½c each.
Men's Merino Shirts, 37½c each.
Men's Merino Pants, 37½c each.
Men's White Shirts, $1 25 each.
150 Ladies' White Skirts, 25c each.

N. B.—A liberal discount allowed to Country Customers and others purchasing large parcels.

S. L. MARSH,
CORNER FIRST AND STARK STREETS,
PORTLAND.

OCEAN STEAMERS.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO, DIRECT.

CARRYING U. S. MAILS.

THE OREGON STEAMSHIP COMPANY'S Steamer
AJAX,
FRED. BOLLES.....Commander,
Will leave Portland Warehouse and Dock Company's Wharf, at Foot of F street, for the above ports
THURSDAY, MAY 13, 1875,
At 6 o'clock, P. M.

For Freight or Passage apply at the Office of the Company, corner F and Front streets.
GEO. W. WEIDLER, Agent.

For Port Townsend & Victoria.

CARRYING U. S. MAILS.

THE OREGON STEAMSAIP CO.'S Steamer
GUSSIE TELFAIR,
J. A. GARDINER.....Commander
Will leave Portland Warehouse and Dock Company's Wharf, at foot of F street, for the above ports,
WEDNESDAY, MAY 12, 1875,
At 6 o'clock P. M.

For Freight or Passage apply at the Office of the Company, corner of F and Front streets.
GEO. W. WEIDLER, Agent.

RIVER STEAMERS.

NOTICE.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE the Str. ELLEN CLARKE will leave her dock foot of Taylor street, every day (Sundays excepted), at 2:30 P. M., for Oregon City.

Passengers for Dayton and intermediate points will take cars at 2:30, connecting at Carnemah on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week.

Rates of Freight:
Corvallis to Portland.....$2 50
Albany and Salem.....2 00
Harrisburg.....2 00
All freights delivered in Portland free of drayage.
Up Freight, $1 00 per Ton.
Freight forwarded to Astoria with dispatch.
J. D. BILES, Agent.

Oregon Steam Navigation Co.'s
PASSENGER SCHEDULE.

PASSENGERS LEAVE PORTLAND
FOR DALLES—Daily, (except Sunday) at 5 o'clock A. M.
FOR WALLULA—Monday and Friday, at 5 A. M.
FOR LEWISTON—Monday, at 5 A. M.
FOR KALAMA and TACOMA—Daily (Sundays excepted) at 6 A. M.
FOR VICTORIA—Wednesday and Saturday at 6 A. M.
FOR ASTORIA—Daily, (except Sunday,) at 6 A. M.
For Cathlamet, Bay View and Skamokawa—Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 6 A. M.
For Westport, Manhattan and Clifton—Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 6 A. M.
For KNAPPA—Thursday, at 6 A. M.
J. C. AINSWORTH, President.

The Willamette River Transportation Co.'s Steamers

Will leave the Central Wharf between Washington and Alder streets, as follows:

FOR CORVALLIS and intermediate points on the Willamette River, on Monday and Thursday, at 6 A. M.

For ASTORIA—Steamer WILLAMETTE CHIEF—Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 6 A. M.

Lightering and Towing of Vessels between Portland and Astoria at REDUCED RATES.
FRANK T. BODGE, Agent.

For Eugene City!

The Steamer OHIO will leave Pacific Dock, Portland, for EUGENE CITY and all Way Ports, on WEDNESDAY, May 12, at 1 P. M., Weight reasonable. For further information apply on board or to
M. D. ROWNSDALF, Agent, on the Wharf.
U. B. SCOTT, Master.

Portland & Vancouver Packet.

THE STEAMER VANCOUVER,
JAS. W. TROUPE, Master,
WILL LEAVE DAILY FROM FOOT OF Alder Street for Vancouver, at 3 P. M.
Returning, leave Vancouver at 8 A. M.
For freight or passage apply on board.
Towing done between 10:30 A. M. and 2 P. M. daily, except Sundays.

TO BE SOLD
CHEAP FOR CASH
Within Thirty Days!
At the Stores Occupied by S. Sherlock,
No. 59 and 61 Front Street,
ALL THE STOCK DAMAGED by WATER AT THE LATE FIRE, CONSISTING OF
Concord Team Harness.
Express Harness.
Plough Harness.
Boston Team Collars.
Imt. Concord "
No. 1 Welt "
Saddlery, &c., &c.
S. SHERLOCK,
Portland, May 7.

REMOVAL.

J. CLARK,
DEALER IN SADDLERY,
And Importer of
SADDLERY HARDWARE,
Has removed from 78 to 86 Front Street, (in the Buildings recently erected,) next to the Oregon Furniture Store.

NEW STOCK!
Prices to Suit the Times.

MADE TO ORDER.

IF YOU WANT A GOOD PAIR OF FINE BOOTS, made to order, go to
J. BRADY,
No. 5 Washington Street
Repairing promptly attended to.

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U. WARNEKROS,
Manufacturer of and Dealer in
TRUSSES AND SPLINTS, AND SURGICAL AND DENTAL INSTRUMENTS,
Has removed from 132 First Street to No. 80 Front Street, next to American Exchange.
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AUCTION AND COMMISSION.

A. B. RICHARDSON,
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COR. OF FRONT AND OAK STS.
Attention to Sales of REAL ESTATE, CHANDELIER, FURNITURE
Sale Days---Wednesday and Saturday.
At Private Sale.
Large assortment of CROCKERY and GLASSWARE.
Liberal advances made on Consignments.
To parties desiring to purchase, this is to certify that I will purchase [illegible]
A. B. RICHARDSON.

Regular and Periodical Sales.

HORSES, WAGONS,
Furniture, Groceries, Canned Goods, Merchandise, &c.,
SATURDAY, MAY 8, 1875,
AT 10 O'CLOCK A. M.
One Large Bay HORSE
One " "
One EXPRESS "
Two Large MILK "
One Large IRON SAFE
BEDROOM, PARLOR AND KITCHEN FURNITURE,
25 Rine ENGLISH
DRY GOODS
25 doz CORSETS
125 bxs
100 bxs
75 cs
200 bxs

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North British and Mercantile Fire Insurance Co.
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THE STATE Investment & Insurance COMPANY,
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FIRE AND TORNADO
Incorporated in 1864.
Cash Assets, - - $

OFFICERS:
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H. L. TURNER, Secretary.

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THE UNDERSIGNED HAS BEEN APPOINTED AGENT FOR THE PACIFIC COAST FOR THE
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and has now on hand,
GIANT POWDER,
Nos. 1 and 2, in cartridges of 40 per box, 1½-inch, and 3-4-inch each.
Any other size made to order.
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AUCTION AND COMMISSION MERCHANT,
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WILL PURCHASE Real Estate, Merchandise, Furniture, &c.
Regular Sale Days, Tuesday and Friday.
A general assortment of Merchandise always on hand for sale.
OSCAR KILBOURN, Auctioneer.

CITY.

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.—Several days since mention of the disappearance of a Fisher, who, it is believed, was on board *Scandinavian* at the time of the explosion, then, nothing has been seen or heard missing man. His wife who is stopping some friends along the Mandamized since the explosion has been almost tracted about the absence of her husband came to the city last week, and made inq for the missing man, but failed to dis any traces of him. The dreadful thought her husband had been killed by the explo preyed upon the mind of the poor woman and drove her nearly distracted. She those with whom she was stopping that on her husband returned, on a certain day would jump into the river and drown he [illegible] who heard the woman talk in manner, supposed that she was tempor insane, and did not intend to carry the threat into execution. But subsequent events prove that she was in earnest. Last Sat morning Mrs. Fisher—taking the you child in her arms left the house of her fri and started toward the river, fully inten destroying herself and child. A man who had her make the threat, fortunately saw woman going in the direction of the r He gave chase and succeeded in catchin just before she reached the river bank, with considerable difficulty, induced her abandon her suicidal intentions.

BARK ORIENT ASHORE.—By late advices Astoria we learn that the brig *Orient*, sailing out from Shoalwater Bay, a few since, went ashore. Quite early in the the brig, which had just completed a carg lumber for San Francisco, hoisted sail, with a favorable northeast wind, start pass out to the open sea. Shortly after ing, the wind died away and the brig dr ashore. The vessel stuck fast on the and for a time it was feared that she w prove a total wreck. By the strained on in which the brig was placed, and t ungle rigging she received at the hands of waves, the butts were started, the oakum worked out of the seams and the hull w with water. A messenger was dispatche once for Astoria to obtain one of the tugs except of the intelligence the tug *Astoria* before the brig could be towed off at high [illegible]. She was filled with water, and presented [illegible] from going de We understand that the *Orient* has been t back to Oysterville, where she will be hea the lumber discharged and the hull and the necessary repairs.

A BAD "SCRAPE."—A friend has handed letter which is worthy of publication, as it gives it *verbatim et literatim*. It is hoped the writer of the gushing epistle got that November 30 the 1874 [illegible] Dear mys it is with much pleasher to [illegible] my self to rite you a few lins to [illegible] now I am gitin along in my way o [illegible] my trind of livin a singel life for my part [illegible] com to the conclusion to chang my [illegible] of livin for my part and setel down on a [illegible] and go to work at hom for travlin is a [illegible] practis nuis sunat I think ju air the pertic [illegible] laidy in oregon. and my mind is on you [illegible] day and nite a I lav bin sins I first see [illegible] at buter creek and I thot I wod rite [illegible] to you. I do so now my feelins in rel [illegible] to yoom lass resolv to join the wedlock [illegible] and to air my chois of all the yoing lad [illegible] the world and stop the same of me isha [illegible] to bring my leter to a close so nothin m [illegible] present but remains your frend rite so often giv my respects to all of the family I hope that they air all well and air doin [illegible] TELEGRAPHIC REFORM.—Mr. Gro [illegible] forms us that quite [illegible] tion has been made in the telegraphic ra [illegible] the Atlantic cab [illegible] cut down to 20 cents per wo [illegible] tween here and England and France. [illegible] week, the cost between New York, the co [illegible] will be a reduction for messa containing less than 10 words that is [illegible] words for a message which [illegible] words as for one [illegible] words. The present charge for a m between Portland and New York is [illegible] However, a message of fifty words [illegible] Europe can be sent at proportionate charges. Messages of three words can be transmitted to London or Paris for [illegible] really at less cost than one of ten wo New York. So far the reduction has made there has been a small [illegible] European messages consisted [illegible] three words. The [illegible] to be reduci system of telegraphy is on a fine [illegible] will have the honor of making the [illegible] telegraph line on the west side, between [illegible] land and St. Joe, has been up and [illegible] and messages have been transmitted [illegible] siderable difficulty. The [illegible] the line is attributable to the [illegible] rain storms of the past winter, which frequently prostrated it. It is the [illegible] the telegraph company to thoroughly [illegible] haul the line and make it as good as new [illegible] Crouch and several assistants will start [illegible] a few days along the railroad for [illegible] supplied with an abundance of all [illegible] material, and repair the line between [illegible] and St. Joe.

MR. RIGGS IN PHILADELPHIA.—We [illegible] following from the Philadelphia *Ledger* [illegible] of April 20th. Our readers will [illegible] it is every probability that our fellow-[illegible] will have the honor of making the [illegible] pendence Bell ring out the [illegible] Mr. Daniel L. Riggs, of Salem, Oregon [illegible] is located at present at [illegible] repairing crackers [illegible] ells to the [illegible] councils to-day, who expressed [illegible] well pleased with its working, and [illegible] commend the use of his method to [illegible] Independence Bell.

ENTERTAINMENT.—RECEPTION.—The [illegible] of Portland Encampment No. 1, I. [illegible] will give a public reception and entertain [illegible] at Good Templars' Hall this (Thursday) [illegible] ing. The members of the various temp [illegible] organizations in the city and friends [illegible] cause are cordially invited. The ad [illegible] will be free to all who are desirous of [illegible] ing. At the conclusion of the [illegible] ment the hall will be cleared and [illegible] dance indulged in.

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THURSDAY MORNING, MAY 13, 1875.

CITY.

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.—Several days since we made mention of the disappearance of a Mr. Fisher, who, it is believed, was on board the *Senator* at the time of the explosion. Since then, nothing has been seen or heard of the missing man. His wife who is stopping with some friends, along the Macadamized road, became alarmed at the absence of her husband. She started about the last week, and made inquiries for the missing man, but failed to discover any traces of him. The dreadful thought that her husband had been killed by the explosion, preyed upon the mind of the poor woman, and drove her nearly distracted. She told those with whom she was stopping that unless her husband returned on a certain day, she would jump into the river and drown herself. Those who heard the woman talk in that manner, supposed that she was temporarily insane, and did not intend to carry the rash threat into execution. But subsequent events prove that she was in earnest. Last Sunday morning Mrs. Fisher taking the youngest child in her arms left the house of her friends and started toward the river fully intent on destroying herself. A man who had heard her make the threat, fortunately saw the woman going in the direction of the river. He gave chase and succeeded in catching her just before she reached the river bank, and with considerable difficulty induced her to abandon her suicidal intentions.

FROM ORIENT ASHORE.—By late advices from Astoria we learn that the brig *Orient*, while sailing out from Shoalwater Bay, a few days since went ashore. Quite early in the day, the brig, which had just completed a cargo of lumber for San Francisco, hoisted sail, and, with a favorable northeast wind, started to get out to the open sea. Shortly after starting the wind died away and the brig drifted on shore. The vessel stuck fast on the sand, and for a time it was feared that she would prove a total wreck. By the strained position in which the brig was placed, and the many leaks she received at the hands of the waves, the butts were started, the oakum was washed out of the seams and the hull filled with water. A messenger was dispatched at once for Astoria to obtain one of the tugs with which to pull the stranded vessel off. On receipt of the intelligence the tug *Astoria* was sent to the assistance of the *Orient*. However, on the arrival of the tug, the brig floated of her high tide. She was filled with water, and considerably damaged. Having a full cargo of lumber its buoyancy kept the vessel afloat, and prevented her from going down. We understand that the *Orient* has been towed back to Oysterville, where she will be beached, the lumber discharged and the hull undergo necessary repairs.

A BIG "SELL."—A friend has handed us a letter which is worthy of publication. We give it verbatim et literatim. It is hoped that the writer of the gushing epistle got that girl:

NOVEMBER 30 the 1874

DEAR MYS, it is with much pleasher to me to seat my self to rite you these lines to leryo are how I am glad along in my way of life and kind of livin a nigel life for my part and the cum to the conclusen to chang my way of life for my part and setel dun on a farm and go to work at hom for travlin is a bad practer this season i think yo air the pirtis young lady in oregon and my mind is on yoo each day and nite and hav bin sins i first seen yo at boler creek and i that that i wod rite yo a few lins to lete yo now my feelins in reterans to yoor fam resolv to join in wedlock band and ye all my chois of all the yong ladis in this world, and thop the same of me shall be to you my leter, to a close so nothin more at present but remain yours yo frend rite son and the gir my respects to all of the family that i hope that this air ill well and air doin well.

TELEGRAPHIC REDUCTION.—Mr. Guild informs us that quite recently a material reduction has been made in the telegraphic rates by the Atlantic cable. The cable tariff has been cut down from $1 25 to 70 cents per word, between here and England and France. Between this place and New York the company will not make any reduction, for messages containing less than 10 words—that is, they will charge as much for a message which contains three or four words as for one of ten words. The lowest charge for a message between Portland and New York is $2 50. Hence a message of three words will be required to Europe and a proportionate rate for messages of three words will be required to London or Paris for $2 10—really at less cost than one of ten words to New York. Since the reduction has been made there has already been a number of European messages transmitted containing three words. That appears to be reducing the system of telegraphy down to a fine point.

WEST SIDE LINE.—For some time past the telegraph line on the west side, between Portland and St. Joe, has been in bad condition and messages have been transmitted with considerable difficulty. The bad working state of the line is attributable to the heavy wind and rain storms of the past winter, which have greatly prostrated it. It is the intention of the Bell company to thoroughly overhaul the line and make it as good as new. Mr. Cross and several assistants will start out in a few days along the railroad on a hand car, supplied with an abundance of all necessary material, and repair the line between this city and St. Joe.

MR. RIGGS IN PHILADELPHIA.—We clip the following from the Philadelphia *Evening Star* of April 30th. Our readers will see that there is every probability that our fellow-townsman will have the honor of making the old Independence Bell ring out as clear as of yore:

Mr. Daniel T. Riggs, of Salem, Oregon, presented the model of a patent appliance for repairing cracked bells to a special committee of councils to-day, who expressed themselves well pleased with its workings, and will recommend the use of his method to restore the Independence Bell.

ENTERTAINMENT—RECEPTION.—The members of Portland Encampment No. I, I. O. O. F., will give a public reception and entertainment at Good Templars' Hall this (Thursday) evening. The members of the various temperance organizations in the city and friends of the cause are cordially invited. The admission will be free to all who are desirous of participating. At the conclusion of the entertainment the hall will be cleared and a social dance indulged in.

HARD TO ANSWER.—John V. Smith, the engineer on the steamer *Senator* when she blew up, was arraigned in Justice Reilly's court yesterday afternoon, on a charge of manslaughter. H. V. Thompson, Esq., appeared as counsel for the State, and Messrs. F. O. McCown and W. W. Page for the defense. The defendant waived an examination and was held to answer in the sum of $1,000. Smith furnished the required bonds and was released from custody.

WEATHER REPORT.—From the records of the U. S. Signal Station of Observation, Portland, Oregon, May 12, 1875:

	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.
Thermometer	47	66	55
Wind—direction	Calm.	N.E.	Calm.
" velocity	0	2	0
Weather	Fair.	Fair.	Fair.
Maximum temperature			66°

POLICE JUDGESHIP.—Judge Denny being desirous of devoting his attention to other matters of more pressing importance, on yesterday, filed with the auditor and clerk his oath of office as police judge and, with the county clerk, his oath of office and official bond as ex officio justice of the peace. He will immediately enter upon the duties of his position.

SENT TO JAIL.—The case of the three boys—William Riddle, John Dougherty and Luther Welcott—who were arrested on Tuesday afternoon, charged with larceny, came up for trial in the police court yesterday morning. Judge Denny found the culprits guilty, and sentenced each to the county jail for the period of 30 days.

STAGE ON WATER.—A dispatch from Walla Walla yesterday says: Weather little cloudy; thermometer 62°; river has fallen two inches since morning.

NOTICE.

I have just received a nice lot of French chip hats and bonnets, per steamer Ajax.
Mrs. G. H. CLARKE.

BRIEF NOTES.

What is needed—a House of Correction.

Hand in your statements of property to the assessor.

The steamer *Ajax* brought up 300 tons of assorted cargo.

This evening the steamer *Gussie Telfair* will sail for the north.

Not a vestige of the *Senator's* cabin remains visible above water.

Willamette Tribe No. 6, I. O. R. M., will meet this evening at the Wigwam.

Printers' picnic one week from next Saturday—weather permitting, of course.

Owing to high water the government dredger is still unable to resume operations.

The engines for the new tug *Portland* were being placed in the hull of that craft yesterday.

Two of Mr. John Doscher's boys were injured on Tuesday evening by being thrown out of a wagon.

Ambitious anglers capture the reflective worm and hie away to the babbling brook for the festive sucker.

This evening the Board of Delegates of the Portland Fire Department will hold their regular monthly meeting.

The schooner *Dreadnaught* arrived yesterday morning with a full cargo from San Francisco. She is discharging freight at Flanders wharf.

A new boiler has just been built at the Willamet Iron Works for the steamer *Oscatta*. It is now placed in the hull, and will soon be ready for service.

The wooden tenements at the corner of First and Yamhill streets have been moved away. Work on the brick building will be commenced in a few days.

Mr. John Crouch, the general repairer for the W. U. T. Co.'s lines, severely injured his back yesterday while endeavoring to lift a hand-car from the track.

MILITARY NOTES.

From the *Spirit of the West* of May 7th we collate the following:

General Frank Wheaton leaves on the 10th inst for his regiment.

The paymaster, Major Canby, will arrive at the garrison to-day or to-morrow from Fort Lapwai, and will proceed en route to Fort Colville. He will be accompanied by an escort from this post.

Company M, 1st cavalry, are preparing to leave this port for Fort Colville, and Company E, 21st infantry, now stationed there, will proceed to Fort Walla Walla as soon as the company reaches there.

There are over one hundred recruits en route to Walla Walla from St. Louis. However, all do not belong to the companies stationed here, but they will remain at the garrison for a considerable time.

Congress has presented a medal to Sergeant H. J. Hyde, Company M, 1st cavalry, for distinguished services rendered in Arizona under General Crook. We hope that more substantial recognition will be given soon to Sergeant Hyde.

We learn that some soldiers perish in the snow every winter in Montana Territory. This year a young man enlisted in Company G, 7th infantry, proceeding from the Crossings to Fort Shaw, lost his way and perished in the snow. The name of deceased was Edward S. Quigley.

There is a rumor current that the headquarters of the 1st cavalry will be removed from Benicia barracks to Fort Walla Walla. It appears that the stables, saddles, saddle blankets, etc., at Benicia were burned, and the horses burned, in consequence of the epizootic, and this is the cause of the change.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Note new advertisement of Everding & Farrell.

The firm of Eberhardt & Mast has been dissolved, the latter gentleman retiring.

Notice is given of the dissolution of the firm of Metzger & Steel, Mr. Steel having retired. The business will be continued by D. Metzger.

The celebrated Bay View House, at Unity, W. T., is offered for sale. A rare bargain can be had, and now is the time to buy, as the rush will begin soon. Note ad.

Special attention is called to the advertisement of H. W. Monnastes, who is opening crockery, glassware, etc., at prices greatly reduced, to meet the present demand. A fresh invoice of goods just received.

Mr. F. B. Handley, late of McMinnville, has opened an office for the dispensation of legal advice at the court house, Hillsboro. We wish Mr. Handley a full measure of patronage, and those entrusting business to his care will be promptly attended to.

PEREMPTORY MANDAMUS.

Mr. O. M. Barnard, assessor of this county, was served on Tuesday with the following peremptory mandamus:

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Multnomah county—W. P. Doland plaintiff vs. O. M. Barnard as assessor of Multnomah county, defendant:—In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby commanded that immediately after the receipt hereof you deduct the amount of the plaintiff's indebtedness within the State of Oregon, as specified in the sworn statement of the plaintiff, furnished you by him on the 20th day of April, 1875, from the amount and value of the taxable property of the plaintiff as contained in said sworn statement and the assessment thereon made by you of plaintiff's property for the year 1875.

Witness the Hon. L. D. Shattuck, Judge of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Multnomah county, and the seal of said circuit court this 10th day of May, 1875.

GEO. L. STORY, Clerk, &c.

PICNICS.

The Red Men of this city will give their annual picnic down on the Bybee farm next Monday, 17th inst., if the weather clerk will only be accommodating.

We are informed that the Hibernian Benevolent society of this city propose to give their annual picnic in a few weeks. East Portland Park, it is said, will be the grounds selected.

On Saturday next, if the weather is propitious, the teachers and pupils of the Presbyterian Sunday school will go to Vancouver on an excursion and to enjoy the pleasures of a picnic.

The several committees connected with the forthcoming printers' picnic are busily engaged in making all necessary arrangements. If the weather proves propitious we hazard nothing in saying that it will be the picnic of the season. The printers never do things by halves, and whatever they undertake is certain to prove successful.

AMUSEMENTS.

The New Market Theater was only partially filled last evening, the occasion being the benefit to Mr. R. C. White, the well-known actor and scenic artist. The programme was carried out as per announcement and the performances of those who took part were loudly applauded.

This evening the Phelps dramatic troupe and McDonald's Indians are expected to arrive from the Sound. The combination will appear at New Market Theater to-morrow evening for the first time. We bespeak large audiences during the brief stay of the company in Portland.

The most stylish collar you can wear is the Warwick. Ask for it at the gents' furnishing stores.

The finest beer—not Steilacoom, nor any other importation, but home manufacture—at the C. S. Brewery depot.

During the warm weather there is nothing better nor more cooling than a drink of soda water from Gibson & Co.'s "Arctic."

AT THE GREAT EASTERN CLOTHING STORE in the city, at prices that defy competition. There you can select from the latest styles which are laid down upon the arrival of every steamer from San Francisco. A full line of Furnishing Goods, Youths' Suits, Valises and Trunks constantly on hand. Observe the sign, "Great Eastern Clothing Store," WARREN & Proprietor, 125 First street.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

Ladies who wish to have their own hair braided, made into switches, or worked up into any kind of ornamental work for use or preservation, will do well to call on or send to Mrs. Lanson, on Ninth street, between C and D. She does all such work very neatly and upon reasonable terms. 22dlm

THIRD ANNUAL SESSION OF THE GRAND ENCAMPMENT.

Morning Session.

At the appointed hour, the Grand Encampment was opened in due form, C. E. Burrows, Grand Commander, presiding.

Minutes of yesterday's session read and approved.

The credential committee made a supplementary report, and gave notice that the following named persons were entitled to seats in this Grand Encampment: Dallas, No. 11—W. H. Rubell, L. Vineyard, R. F. Nichols, F. Bolter and C. W. Teal. Unity, No. 23—T. B. Handley, Miss Alice Handley and Miss Bertha Verstig.

The finance committee submitted a report in reference to the reports of the officers. On motion the report was adopted.

The finance committee reported in the case of Mr. A. G. Walling, and recommended that he be allowed $83, as the amount due him.

The committee on constitution laid by-laws reported upon points of order referred to them, and after several amendments, the report was adopted.

The hour of adjournment having arrived, the morning session closed to meet at 1:30 P. M.

Afternoon Session.

Promptly at the appointed hour the Encampment opened in due form, C. E. Burrows, Grand Commander, presiding.

The committee on "good of the order" tendered their report, and upon motion was sent back to the same committee.

RESOLUTIONS.

W. P. Keady, of Salem No. 20, offered the following preamble and resolution:

WHEREAS, The Grand Encampment of C. of C. at its last session appointed a committee to receive and entertain propositions looking toward a union of this order and the C. of R. C., therefore be it

Resolved, That this Grand Encampment appoint a committee of three on constitution, whose duty it shall be to report to this Grand Encampment a plan upon which the I. O. R. C. and the C. R. C. can be marshaled under the same standard, with common implements of warfare.

After a great deal of discussion upon the merits and demerits of the resolution, T. B. Handley, of Unity, No. 23, offered as an amendment to strike out the preamble to said resolution.

Upon motion the amendment was adopted. The resolution upon motion was then adopted.

Grand Commander Burrows then appointed the following committee on constitution: P. Smith, of Salem No. 20; R. G. Hawn, No. 14, and T. B. Handley, of No. 23.

Committee on good of the order submitted the following report:

"Your Committee on "Good of the Order" beg leave to submit their report, and offer for your consideration one or more resolutions, which we deem necessary, in the promotion of our noble order, throughout this jurisdiction.

During the year just past, the temperance cause in this State has not sunk in its state, but every State in the Union have accomplished a great work, a work that the united element of the great temperance army, have met and battled together, with a will and a determination.

Their work has been crowned with success. Thousands of the brave sons and daughters of our land have been enlisted into the temperance army. While other temperance organizations throughout this State, have met with flattering success, in organizing lodges, and swelling their ranks to thousands, it is with a feeling of regret that we are compelled to say, that our order in point of membership has not advanced to any great degree. We would suggest that steps be taken during the session, to secure if possible, the services of a lecturer for our order. The mutual benefit system in connection with the order should if possible, be changed in such a manner that will give better satisfaction to those interested, or be dispensed with entirely.

Companions, our labors for the present convocation are about ended. We go hence to mingle in life's pleasure, and life's disappointments. Let us go forth with a will and a determination to work and use our utmost endeavors to advance our noble order."

CHAS. A. WHEELER, Portland No. 1.
W. H. RUBELL, Dallas No. 11.
C. H. HALL, Salem, No. 20. Committee.

The Grand Encampment, then proceeded to elect grand officers for one year, with the following result:

Grand Commander.....R. G. Hawn, Jefferson, No. 14
Grand Counselor.....W. H. Rubell, Dallas, No. 11
Grand S. Champion, Mrs. C. M. Foltz, Salem, No. 20
Grand Secretary.....W. P. Keady, Salem, No. 20
Grand Treasurer.....D. Giesner, Salem, No. 20
Grand Mistress of C.—Miss B. Berstig, Unity, No. 23
Grand J. Champion, Mrs. S. Robinson, Port'd, No. 1
Grand C. of H.....T. B. Bellinger, Jefferson, No. 14
Grand Chaplain.....Enoch Turner, Portland, No. 1
Grand Sentinel.....J. B. Hyde, Brownsville, No. 15
Past Grand Commander.....Charles E. Burrows

The committee on mutual life fund submitted their report, and upon motion it was made the special order of business for 7:30 P. M.

The Grand Encampment then adjourned to meet at 7:30 P. M.

Evening Session.

At 7:30 o'clock the Grand Encampment was called to order and opened in due form, Grand Commander Chas. E. Burrows presiding.

The committee on "mutual life system" not being present, the adoption of the report was laid over.

C. A. Wheeler, of Portland No. 1, offered the following resolutions:

Resolved, That the present jurisdiction of this Grand Encampment be divided into three districts, to be known as—1st, the Eastern district, comprising all that section of the State east of the Cascade range of mountains; and 2d, the Eastern Willamette district, comprising all that section east of the Willamette river east to the Cascade range of mountains; and 3d, the Western district, comprising all that section of the State west of the Willamette river west to the Coast range of mountains.

Resolved, That the Grand Commander appoint a district deputy grand commander for each of the said named districts.

Upon motion the resolutions were adopted.

The committee on constitution and by-laws submitted their report, and it was taken up in sections for adoption:

SECTION 1. Creating a financial secretary in subordinate encampments. Adopted.

SEC. 2. Describing duties of financial secretary. Adopted.

A resolution was offered by C. A. Wheeler fixing the bonds of the secretary and treasurer at $1,000 each. On motion adopted.

On motion, a committee of three were appointed for the purpose of securing the services of a Grand Lecturer for the order. The committee appointed were as follows: L. Case, of Independent No. 13; C. H. Hall, of Salem No. 20. The Grand Encampment then adjourned to meet at 9:30 o'clock to-morrow morning.

CELEBRATION AT GERVAIS.

The citizens of the thriving town of Gervais and vicinity assembled together on Saturday, May the 8, 1875, for the purpose of making necessary arrangements to celebrate the 99th anniversary of our national independence at that place. After speeches by many of the most influential citizens and Grangers, Mr. L. H. Ponjade was chosen chairman, and W. S. Taylor, secretary. Also the following committees were elected:

Committee on Grounds—L. H. Ponjade, J. C. Cooley, W. S. Taylor.

Committee of Arrangements—Sam'l Hackleroad, John W. Thornsbury, Peter K. Murphy, N. Goodman, Wm. Eastham, W. A. Cusick, Joseph Engle, John Johnson, T. E. Eldridge, Samuel Ramp.

Committee on Speakers and Orators—Hon. J. W. Grim, Hon. F. X. Matthieu, Hon. E. C. Cooley, Hon. Samuel Brown, Hon. F. C. Eldridge, Hon. Joseph Engle, James Coleman.

Committee on Music—George A. Sheppard, John C. Hays, B. A. Saltman.

Committee on Finance—Geo. A. Sheppard, Frank Nisler, H. P. Jackson.

Committee on Contributions—J. C. Cooley, N. Goodman, George A. Sheppard.

Adjourned to meet this day two weeks at 2 o'clock P. M.

W. S. TAYLOR, Secretary.

FOUND.—On First street, between Morrison and Alder, No. 105, the place where watches, clocks and jewelry can be bought at reasonable prices, and where watch repairing is done at lower price than at any other establishment in this city. Call on W. Friedlander.

SPLITTING matches are all the rage now and there is not talking what many follow to occupy the attention of society. What attracts most attention is the vicinity of Front and Washington streets at the establishment of BECK & WALDMAN. The immense stock of spring and summer Clothing, and numerous styles of furnishing goods, with the marked changes in the manner of charges in this house is sufficient to draw large crowds to their store. Youths' clothing constitutes a specialty and found parents make a great mistake if they fail to examine the stock at Beck & Waldman's.

SOMETHING NEW.

The new style of promenade photographs. These beautiful pictures are now made at Bosco & Megler's new rooms, Nos 127 and 129, First street. Call and examine them.

Harmony Encampment No. 4, C. of R. C.—Meets Tuesday Evenings at Good Templars' Hall, corner Third and Alder streets, at 7½ o'clock.

BOARD OF TRADE.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Trade was held last evening at the rooms. Hon. H. W. Corbett, president of the Board, was in the chair.

Minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

COMMUNICATIONS.

The following communication was read and ordered published with the report now being prepared by the secretary of the Board for the information of the public:

ASTORIA, OR., April 26, 1875.

William Reid, Esq., Secretary Board of Trade, Portland, Or.—DEAR SIR: Your letter of 21st inst., asking information for the guidance of foreign vessels proceeding to Oregon is just received. I would respectfully state that my answers to the questions asked are as follows:

First—What we deem speaking a vessel at sea outside the bar is running within hailing distance and asking if she wants a pilot.

Second—The tug considers five miles the distance to tow and pilot a vessel without other charge than that prescribed by law.

Third—If the tug goes any greater distance than five miles, and not exceeding twenty, she makes no extra charge for putting a pilot on board; but if the captain requires the services of the tug, after putting a pilot on board, she then charges extra towage, according to the distance exceeding five miles and the state of the weather.

Fourth—There are four pilots attached to the steam tug *Astoria*.

Fifth—At any time the tug *Astoria* requires any repairs, through accident or otherwise, the steam tug *Brenham* will take her place on the bar and pilot-grounds without extra charge to the shipping.

Hoping the above answers are satisfactory and what you require,

I remain, your obedient servant,
GEORGE FLAVEL.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

FUN IN BOOTH'S THEATER.

THORNE PLAYS A STRONG JOKE ON BISHOP ON APRIL FOOL DAY.

The best, most practical joke of All Fool's Day was perpetrated in Booth's Theater in the celebrated humblepie scene of the fifth act of *Henry V.*, in which "Fluellen" makes "Pistol" eat the leek. The "property leek" ordinarily used is of wood, with green muslin leaves and a piece of peeled apple at the end. Some practical jokist entered the property man's room and substituted a fresh onion in the place of the apple (in honor of All Fool's Day). Thorne, who plays "Fluellen," took the leek and innocently handed it to Bishop ("Pistol") after knocking him down, and made his speech with the usual gusto, ending with: "Bite, I pray you. It is good for your green wound and your bloody cockscomb."

Poor Bishop, after the first bite, played his part with a pathos that moved the audience to the wildest pitch of merriment. Little did they or "Fluellen" dream how real and painful were the tears "Pistol" was shedding as he ejaculated:

"I eat—I eat—I swear;" adding in an under-tone to Thorne:

"Damn it, Thorne! this is no joke, this is a real leek." Thorne could hardly utter the next words.

"Eat, I pray you! Will you have more sauce to your leek? There is not enough leek to swear by."

Poor Bishop, still weeping and boiling with rage, went on:

"Quiet thy cudgel! Thou dost see I eat."

Thorne, choking with laughter, finished his part of the dialogue with difficulty, and amid shouts of laughter made his exit. Fortunately he goes off on one side and "Pistol" on the other. When Bishop sprang up and roared out as he rushed off: "All hell shall stir for this!" he brought down the house, behind the scenes as well as before the curtain.—*N. Y. Sun.*

The *Statesman* says: The present annual session of the Mute school at Salem, will close May 27th. Several prominent educators from abroad will attend the examination, and it is the intention of the teachers to prepare the pupils for a pantomine exhibition.

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WILLIAM CURTIS TRIBUTE TO HIM.

I cannot speak of the New England town meeting without recalling its great champion the New Englander in whom the Revolution seemed to get the most fully embodied, and the lofty prayer of whose life was answered upon this spot, and on this day. He was not eloquent like Otis, nor scholarly like Quincy, not all-fascinating like Warren; yet bound heart to heart with these great men, his friends, the plainest simplest, austerest among them, he gathered all their separate gifts and adding to them his own, fused the whole in the glow of that nurturing energy, that unerring perception, that sublime will, which moved before the chosen people of the Colonies a pillar of cloud by day, a fire by night. People of Massachusetts, your proud and grateful hearts outstrip my lips in pronouncing the name of Samuel Adams.

Until 1768 Samuel Adams did not despair of a peaceful issue of the quarrel with Great Britain. But when in May of that year the British frigate *Romney* sailed into Boston harbor, and her shotted guns were trained upon the town, he saw that the question was changed. From that moment he knew that America must be free or slave, and the unceasing effort of his life, by day and night, with tongue and pen, put to nerve his fellow-colonists to strike when the hour should come. On that grey December evening, two years after, when he rose in the Old South, and in a clear, calm voice said, This meeting can do nothing more to save the country," and so gave the word for the march to the tea ships, he comprehended more clearly perhaps than any man in the Colonies the immense and far reaching consequences of his words. He was ready to throw the tea overboard, because he was ready to throw overboard the King and Parliament of England.

During the ten years from the passage of the Stamp Act to the fight at Lexington and Concord, this poor man in an obscure provincial town beyond the sea was engaged with the British Ministry in one of the mightiest contests that history records. Not a word in Parliament that he did not hear, not an act in the Cabinet that he did not see. With brain and heart and courage all alive he opposed every hostile Order in Council with a British precedent, and armed against the Government of Great Britain the battery of principles impregnable with the accumulated strength of centuries of British conviction. The cold ironsides, the brilliant Townsend, the orator North, the reckless Hillsborough, the crafty Dartmouth, all the crowned and titled chiefs of the proudest aristocracy in the world, derided, reasoned, denounced, urged unjust taxes, and sent troops to collect them, cheered loudly by a servile Parliament the parasite of a head-strong King and the plain Boston Puritan laid his finger on the vital point of the tremendous controversy and held to it inexorably—King Lords, Commons, the people of England and the people of America. Intrenched in his own honesty, the King's gold could not buy him. Enshrined in the love of his fellow citizens, the King's writ could not take him. And when on this morning, the King's troops marched to seize him, his sublime faith saw beyond the clouds of the present the rising sun of the America that we behold, and fervent as if himself, mind ful only of his country, he exultingly exclaimed, Oh, what a glorious morning!"

To this simple record not that of a clerk of the Assembly, to which he was yearly elected, and that of constant Moderator of the town-meeting. This was his mighty weapon. The town-meeting was the alarm bell with which he aroused the continent. It was the rapier with which he fenced with the Ministry. It was the claymore with which he smote their councils. It was the harp of a thousand strings that swept into a burst of passionate defiance, or an electrical call to arms, or a proud paean of exulting triumph—defiance, harangue and exultation all lifting the continent to independence. His indomitable will and command of the popular confidence played Boston against London, the provincial town-meeting against the royal Parliament, Faneuil Hall against St Stephen's. And as long as the American town-meeting is known its great genius will be revered. So long as Faneuil Hall stands, Samuel Adams will not want his most fitting monument; and when Faneuil Hall falls, its name, with his, will be found written as with a sunbeam upon every faithful American heart.—*George William Curtis's Oration at Concord.*

THRILL TO HIS TRADE

A DANDIES INCIDENT OF THE SNOW SEASON

From the Danbury News.

We hope that with the passing away of the snow will disappear all temptation to repeat the disgraceful scene enacted on Munson street, Friday afternoon. As near as we can ascertain, the particulars are as follows

Mr Robinson, who occupies the house next north of Marzuli's grocery was engaged in shoveling the snow from the roof into the street. During the work he heard a scream from below, and looking over the cornice, he saw a man with hair, neck and clothes full of snow, dancing around down in the walk and shaking his fist toward Mr. Robinson.

"What do you mean by throwing your insulting snow over me?" gasped the stranger

"Who threw snow on you?" very naturally inquired Mr. Robinson, there being very probability in the world that it was thrown on him several days before

"You did—just this minut," asserted the stranger, most positively

"Well, I didn't mean to throw it on you. How'd I know you were there?" said Mr Robinson, feeling that the occasion called for some firmness

Why in thunder ain't you looking to see what you're doin, and not be flinging your snow all over creation, burying up respectable people?" demanded the stranger

Who are you, anyway?" said Robinson, raising his voice to the key adopted by the stranger.

I'll teach you who I am, if you dause me with your avalanche" screamed the stranger,

Both men were now talking at the top of their voices, being some twenty feet apart, and several windows in the neighborhood went up

What do you mean by talking to me that way?" screamed Robinson

I'll show you, if you come down here, you dough-faced guillotine," shrieked the stranger

Don't you call me names," roared Robinson, "or I'll come down there and split your head open with this snow shovel."

O, just you come, just you come," screamed the stranger, with the snow in his neck, going passionately through the motions of blackening a pair of imaginary eyes "That's all I ask of you, you cock-eyed bed-bug!"

Stop your hollering around here, you bow-legged reptile," yelled Robinson, dancing on the edge of the roof in an ecstacy of rage, "or I'll hammer the lights out of you in about a— Murder! help—"

And in an instant the frightened man was sailing toward the walk, madly clawing the air with a pair of legs and a long-handled snow-shovel The occupants of the windows sent up a scream of horror, while the indignant on the wall, gave one frenzied glance at the approaching spectacle, and turned about and fled instantly up the street, shouting "Fire" and "Police" at every jump

Robinson struck into the snow with a velocity that nearly unjointed his neck, but he was on his feet in an instant, active from the blows of an imaginary assailant, and crying at the top of his voice "Keep him off'n me Help! help! for the sake of my family, help me"

Mrs Robinson, who had been attracted to the door by the noise, came out and took him by the arm, and told him the stranger had fled,

"Gone! quickly ejaculated Mr Robinson, looking himself round Gone! well he has! I was coming for him, Mrs Merrill, coming for him hot, and I guess he saw it

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

WEDNESDAY EVENING May 12

Gold in New York 11[illegible]

Legal Tenders in Portland—buying [illegible] selling

Coin Exchange on San Francisco [illegible] per cent premium

Currency Exchange on San Francisco [illegible] per cent premium

Coin Exchange on New York—[illegible] per cent premium

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There are no new features of striking import in the local money market and borrowers who prefer first-class real estate security or prime commercial paper are still accommodated without serious difficulty Rates at bank and on the street show but little disposition to fluctuate and no probabilities are in sight affecting the demand which is now very quiet. The season's business so far has been done with a full degree of caution mingled with a fair amount of conservatism placing financial matters at this time on a very substantial basis With the present outlook, both of the crops and the markets, there are no special features of discouragement.

The sales of Government gold coin were resumed this month for the first time this year The amount to be sold is $5 000 000 000. The first instalment of $1 500,000 was offered on Thursday of last week A slight reaction occurred a year ago with a similar offering The price of gold, then was 113¼ against 115¼ now. There is still a very good demand for gold at New York for shipment, and of coin $3 000 000 mostly in coin was cleared from that market week before last The May interest is now being disbursed These two causes conspire to contribute to a large reduction in the premium An increase in the receipts from duties reported and it is now thought the collections for the next sixty days will swell the total for the fiscal year beyond the Government estimates But in the face of these facts the telegraph brings us news daily and no reduction in the gold premium is noticed and the stand in the market we presume is owing to a scarcity of balances being maintained by the heavy disbursements and the active demand for shipment to Europe

General Trade Matters.

Our merchandise market to day is exhibiting about the same degree of animation noted earlier in the week and though the period is late the spring trade is kept up in quite encouraging volume with a firm steady tone to the market in nearly all this leading lines of imported goods A good inquiry is yet made by interior merchants both in person and by order for selected goods to fill up depleted stocks an indication that the country generally has experienced a fair trade during the spring The sugar and syrup trade as well as that in coffee, is quite active and the fair supplies in the market now against short stocks a few weeks ago account for some important shipments being made this season The staple groceries named above all firm at former quotations with no weakening but if anything an upward tendency in prices Other groceries unchanged

In the line of domestic produce we can learn of but few important transactions In fact the grain and flour in the mills and warehouses along the river and railroads is well nigh disposed of and farmers are too busy to haul at present Wheat offering in occasional lots but neither millers nor shippers are yet willing to pay 81 per bushel, at which we are told some small sales were made in the immediate neighborhood the transactions are very rare. Flour is being quite rapidly shipped and unless millers succeed in securing wheat or quit exporting we think the market may run short in a few weeks The Ajax for San Francisco to morrow will carry a fair shipment and the Telfair for Victoria will also take away several pretty large lots including one from the Imperial mills of 1 200 barrels Bacon is in fair request with considerable receipts at hand, the range of the market being embraced in our last quotations Butter is in better supply and prices have a downward tendency Eggs are jobbing at 18cents per dozen to-day but to-morrow or next day at farthest we anticipate a further decline to 16c Other products show no change from the figures in our last report.

Shipping Intelligence.

The steamer Ajax will sail for San Francisco, to morrow evening, with freight and passengers

The steamship Queen Telfair for Victoria will sail to morrow evening with a full cargo, consisting largely of flour

The barkentine Portland will go down the river to-morrow morning to St Helens where she will load with lumber for San Francisco

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[By TELEGRAPH]

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Peas—Dry 3½@4c

Beans—Bayo 3c pea, 3½c small white 3½@4

Butter 41½@50c pink and red each 1c

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Tallow—5½@6c

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Ordinance No 1629

AN ORDINANCE MAKING AN APPROPRIATION out of the Police Fund to pay of Police Commissioners

The City of Portland does ordain as follows

Section 1 The sum of four hundred and eighty nine dollars is hereby appropriated out of the Police Fund to pay the following named persons for services as Police Commissioners from the 1st day of December 1874 to December 31 1874

A L Hall sixty two hundred and twenty eight dollars

A Bellons one hundred and fifty six dollars

O Risley one hundred and fifty six dollars

W P Burke eighty seven dollars

C Heiman eighteen dollars

Passed the Common Council April 21 187[illegible]

W S CALDWELL
Auditor and Clerk

Approved April 21 187[illegible]

HENRY FAILING
Mayor

Ordinance No 1630

AN ORDINANCE IN RELATION TO THE IMPROVEMENT of Front street between Ash and Washington streets

The City of Portland does ordain as follows

Section 1 In addition to the specifications contained in Ordinance No 1625 entitled An Ordinance to provide for the time and manner of improving Front street from the center line of Ash street, to the north side line of Ash street, except that portion of the street occupied by the Street Railway Company from the Nicholson pavement to Ash street the said roadway shall be covered with a layer of sand one inch in thickness and that the covering planks for all new sidewalks shall be three inches in thickness

Section 2 The Portland Street Railway Co are hereby directed to improve that portion of First street occupied by their track lying between the south line of Ash street and the center line of Alder street, so as to correspond with the Plan and Specifications

Section 3 All materials furnished by the contractor shall be and in accordance with the provisions of this ordinance shall be at once rejected by the superintendent of Streets and shall be immediately removed by the contractor In case any work is put down and it be afterwards discovered that improper materials have been used or that the work has not been properly done the same shall be taken up and replaced with good material laid down in a workmanlike manner at the contractors expense

Section 4 The contractor shall take entire charge of the work during its progress and shall be responsible for any loss or accident occasioned by carelessness or neglect

Section 5 The improvement shall be completed to the satisfaction of the Committee on Streets and Public Property and the Superintendent of Streets

Section 6 The Committee on Streets and Public Property are hereby authorized to advertise for receive proposals and enter into contract with the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the improvement specified in this Ordinance.

Passed the Common Council May 7 1875

W S CALDWELL
Auditor and Clerk

Approved May 10 1875

HENRY FAILING
Mayor

Ordinance No. 1631.

AN ORDINANCE MAKING AN APPROPRIATION out of the General Fund

The City of Portland does ordain as follows

Section 1 The sum of two hundred dollars is hereby appropriated out of the General Fund to provide for repairs to streets in front of public property repairs to bridges and for incidental expenses connected with the improvement and repairs of streets not otherwise provided for

Passed the Common Council May 7 1875

W S CALDWELL
Auditor and Clerk

Approved May 10, 1875

HENRY FAILING
Mayor

Ordinance No. 1632.

AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE TIME and manner of improving that part of First street lying between the south line of Ash street and the center line of Alder street.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows

Section 1 The proposed improvement of that part of First street lying between the south line of Ash street and the center line of Alder street shall be commenced as soon after the 5th day of July 1875 as practicable and completed as herein after provided by this Ordinance on or before the 1 th day of October 18

Sect 2 The surface of the street shall be cleared of all planks lumber or other obstacles or obstructions excepting sidewalks of the proper width and grade that are in good condition If the planks timber or oil or obstacles are not removed by the owners of the adjacent property within three days after receiving notice from the Superintendent of Streets, the same shall be removed by and become the property of the contractor

Section 3 The improvement shall consist of laying Nicholson pavement side-walks and aprons and constructing catch basins where necessary the work to be done and the materials furnished to conform as near as practicable to the provisions of sections 3 4 5 6, 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 and 13 of Ordinance No 1625 entitled An Ordinance to provide for the time and manner of improving Front street from the center line of Washington street to the north side line of Ash street except that portion of the street occupied by the Street Railway Company from the Nicholson pavement of Ash street the said roadway shall be covered with a layer of sand one inch in thickness and that the covering planks for all new sidewalks shall be three inches in thickness

Section 4 The Portland Street Railway Co are hereby directed to improve that portion of First street occupied by their track lying between the south line of Ash street and the center line of Alder street, so as to correspond with the Plan and Specifications

Section 5 All materials furnished by the contractor shall be and in accordance with the provisions of this ordinance shall be at once rejected by the superintendent of Streets and shall be immediately removed by the contractor In case any work is put down and it be afterwards discovered that improper materials have been used or that the work has not been properly done the same shall be taken up and replaced with good material laid down in a workmanlike manner at the contractors expense

Section 6 The contractor shall take entire charge of the work during its progress and shall be responsible for any loss or accident occasioned by carelessness or neglect

Section 7 The contractor or contractors shall give security in such sums as the Committee on Streets and Public Property shall determine for the faithful performance of the work and also to hold the city and the property owners interested free and harmless from any and all claims for royalty or the use of any patented article used in or for the laying of the Nicholson pavement or any part thereof

Section 8 The Committee on Streets and Public Property are hereby authorized on behalf of the Common Council to advertise for receive proposals and enter into contract with the lowest responsible bidder or bidders for the improvement contained in the foregoing sections of this ordinance said contract shall contain a provision to the effect that after the commencement of the work upon the same it shall be prosecuted therein to completion with as much rapidity as possible not exceeding fifteen days for each block without the written consent of the committee

The improvements shall be completed herein provided to the satisfaction of the Committee on Streets and Public Property and the Superintendent of Streets

Passed the Common Council May 7 187[illegible]

W S CALDWELL
Auditor and Clerk

Approved May 11 187[illegible]

HENRY FAILING
Mayor

Tenth Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMMON Council of the City of Portland propose to improve that part of Tenth street lying between the south line of Stark street and the north line of Jefferson street by laying sidewalks, crosswalks and plank gutters, where necessary

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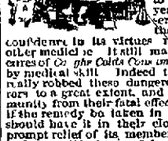

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THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the Oregon Central Military Road Company will be held at the office of the Company Ladd & Tilton's Bank in Portland on TUESDAY May 18 1875 at 2 o'clock P M for the election of a Board of Directors and such other business as may properly come before the meeting And at the same time and place, pursuant to a resolution of the Board of Directors of the said Company, adopted at a meeting held April 20 1875 there will be held a meeting of the Stockholders of the said Company for the purpose of taking into consideration the propriety of and authorizing the dissolution of the said Company the selling of its business and the disposing of its property and the subsidizing and cancellation of its capital stock.

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EASTERN NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN]

The Tribune's Report of the Trial

NEW YORK May 13—The following is the Tribune report of the Beecher trial Although the end of the trial was thought to be very near there was considerable surprise yesterday when it was announced that the last witness had been given his testimony and the case on both sides summed up and given to the jury ready to render a verdict Judge Neilson exhibited unusual [illegible] when Evarts announced that he rested the defence Counsel on both sides also appeared relieved and the jurymen looked at one another as if well pleased that their long confinement was nearly over Reporters appeared to be ready to throw up their hats and cheer there were many congratulations and handshakings among them before the opening of the afternoon session Evarts and Beach sat for some minutes talking and joking with the jury men on subject of their conversation was the proposed adjournment The jury men were at one's desire going on with the case without an adjournment, but yielded readily to the proposed adjournment, the adjournment the counsel on both sides assembled in the judges room where they had a private conference concerning the future management of the case. Beecher stood for some time surrounded by his friends as court adjourned surrounded by his friends as court adjourned surrounded by his friends as court adjourned